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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- · The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$900 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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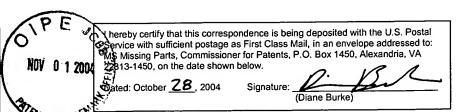
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Application No.: 10/829,669 Confirmation No.: 7742

Filed: April 21, 2004 Art Unit: 3673

For: PLASTIC MATTRESS FOUNDATION Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed June 29, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for two months, and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945 in the amount of \$1,350.00 covering the fees set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e), 37 CFR 1.136(a) and 37 CFR 1.63 as indicated on the enclosed Fee Transmittal.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. SMCY-P03-085.

Dated: October 28, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 1,350.00

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1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
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Dated: October <u>26</u>, 2004

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